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PATENT APPLICATION



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
: Examiner: Taghi T. Arani
KATSUNARI SUZUKI)
: Group Art Unit: 2131
Application No.: 10/533,100)
: Int'l App No.: PCT/JP2004/017036)
: Int'l Filing Date.: November 10, 2004)
: For: INFORMATION)
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: AND INFORMATION)
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated November 27, 2006 for one month from February 27, 2007 to March 27, 2007.

Submitted herewith is a check for \$120.00 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

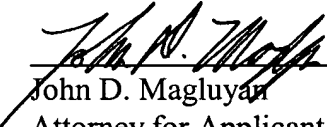
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